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# Family Record

OF

JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, D. D.

Missionary to Orissa, India.

1812—1912



Compiled by His Daughter  
HARRIET PHILLIPS STONE

THERE is no better heritage  
that a father can bequeath  
to his children than a good name;  
nor is there in a family any richer  
heirloom than the memory of a  
noble ancestor.

*JAMES HAMILTON.*

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HANNAH C. PHILLIPS.



JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, D. D.

## MARRIAGES.

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*"And they twain shall be one flesh."*

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At Boston, Mass., Sept. 15th, 1835, by REV. RUFUS SPAULDING, brother of the bride, JEREMIAH, son of PARLEY and HANNAH (CRUMB) PHILLIPS and MARY SPAULDING BEEDE.

At Serampore, India, Jan. 29th, 1839, by REV. JOHN MACK, foster-father of the bride, JEREMIAH PHILLIPS and MARY ANNE GRIMDITCH.

At Jellasore, India, Feb. 12th, 1841, by REV. O. R. BACHELER, missionary colleague, JEREMIAH PHILLIPS and HANNAH W., daughter of THOMAS and HANNAH (WEBSTER) CUMMINGS.

OF CHILDREN.

At Pascoag, R. I., Aug. 10th, 1864, by REV. WM. FITZ, JAMES L. PHILLIPS and MARY R., daughter of WHIPPLE and SOPHIA (ARNOLD) SAYLES.

At Norwalk, Conn., April 8th, 1867, by REV. DR. CHILDS, JOHN H. PHILLIPS and ANNETTE O., daughter of GEORGE W. and PHEBE (FERRIS) MARSH.

At Bethany, N. Y., Dec. 15th, 1866, by REV. S. ALDRICH, R. GILBERT, son of RICHARD and MARIA PLATT~~S~~, and MARY ANNE PHILLIPS.

At Oak Park, Ill., April 8th, 1870, by REV. J. B. DREW, JAMES A., son of JAMES and SALLY (PETERS) KEYES, and H. CARRIE PHILLIPS.

At Jellasore, India, Nov. 18th, 1879, by DR. J. L. PHILLIPS, brother of the bride, THOMAS W., son of CHRISTIAN W. and JANE (ALLENDER) BURKHOLDER, and JULIA E. PHILLIPS.

At Kingsville, Ohio, June 8th, 1875, by REV. S. HOUGH, JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, JR., and ALTIE F., daughter of MARSHALL W. and SARAH (JACOBS) WRIGHT.

At Balasore, India, Oct. 25th, 1904, by REV. M. J. COLDREN, IRVING L., son of LEE and LOUISE (STEVENS) STONE, and HARRIET P. PHILLIPS.

At Hillsdale, Mich., July 15th, 1873, by REV. R. WOODWORTH, ALBERT J., son of JOSIAH H. and ELIZABETH (WOOD) MARSHALL, and EMILY L. PHILLIPS.

At Hillsdale, Mich., Aug. 6th, 1877, by PROF. R. DUNN, D. D., FRANK L., son of OBADIAH I. and LYDIA (GOWEN) DURGIN, and LUCY M. PHILLIPS.

MARRIAGES.

OF GRANDCHILDREN.

CHILDREN OF

JAMES L. AND MARY (SAYLES) PHILLIPS.

At Calcutta, India, Nov. 3d, 1897, by REV. T. W. BURKHOLDER, uncle of the bride, assisted by REV. H. ANDERSON, REV. GEORGE HOWELLS, son of GEORGE W. and JANE (EDWARDS) HOWELLS, and BEEBE M. S. PHILLIPS.

At Chicago, Ill., Nov. 23d, 1907, by REV. MR. FLACK, JOHN O. PHILLIPS and S. EMILY, daughter of BENJAMIN M. and JOSEPHINE (HOFFMAN) HUTCHASON.

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FOSTER-CHILDREN OF

JOHN H. AND ANNETTE (MARSH) PHILLIPS.

At East Melbourne, Fla., May 14th, 1891, by REV. THOS. PELL, CHARLES M., son of MONTRAVILLE P. and CHARLOTTE (HOLMES) HORTON, and T. GRACE PHILLIPS.

At Fort Pierce, Fla., Jan. 12th, 1902, by REV. MR. ELLIS, GEORGE M. PHILLIPS and LAURA L. COLE.

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CHILDREN OF

R. GILBERT AND MARY (PHILLIPS) PLATTS.

At Weston, Mich., Dec. 20th, 1895, by REV. C. E. GIBBS, CLYDE P. PLATTS and CLARA H., daughter of BRAINARD and HELEN (REMINGTON) KINGSLEY.

At Fort Pierce, Fla., Oct. 6th, 1898, by REV. W. E. BUTLER, FRANK R., son of MONTRAVILLE P. and CHARLOTTE (HOLMES) HORTON, and DAISY F. PLATTS.

MARRIAGES.

CHILDREN OF

JAMES A. AND CARRIE (PHILLIPS) KEYES.

At Oberlin, Ohio, June 18th, 1895, by DR. J. H. FAIRCHILD, J. LEWIS, son of JOHN S. and MARGARET (MORGANS) JONES, and UNA G. KEYES.

At Ione, Ore., June 17th, 1903, by REV. J. L. JONES, brother-in-law of the bride, EDWARD J., son of EDWARD and ALICE H. (RIETMANN) KELLER, and OLENA M. KEYES.

At Pacific Beach, Cal., Jan. 1st, 1906, by REV. HENRY ROISSY, THOMAS W., son of THOMAS D. and MINNIE (TANNER) RICH, and BERTHA N. KEYES.

At Caldwell, Idaho, Jan. 4th, 1912, by REV. FRANCIS E. SPRINGER, KARL L. KEYES and SALOMA, daughter of ISAAC and ELLA (MEDFORD) WILLIAMS.

At Ione, Ore., Nov. 23d, 1905, by REV. CEPHAS F. CLAPP, B. LEROY, son of JOHN D. and SUSAN (RICHMOND) BURLEY, and JULIA R. KEYES.

At East Fork, Idaho, July 13th, 1910, by REV. H. C. STOVER, L. ARTHUR, son of EARNEST SUMMER and EMILY S. (BEALS) HUNTING, and H. EDITH KEYES.

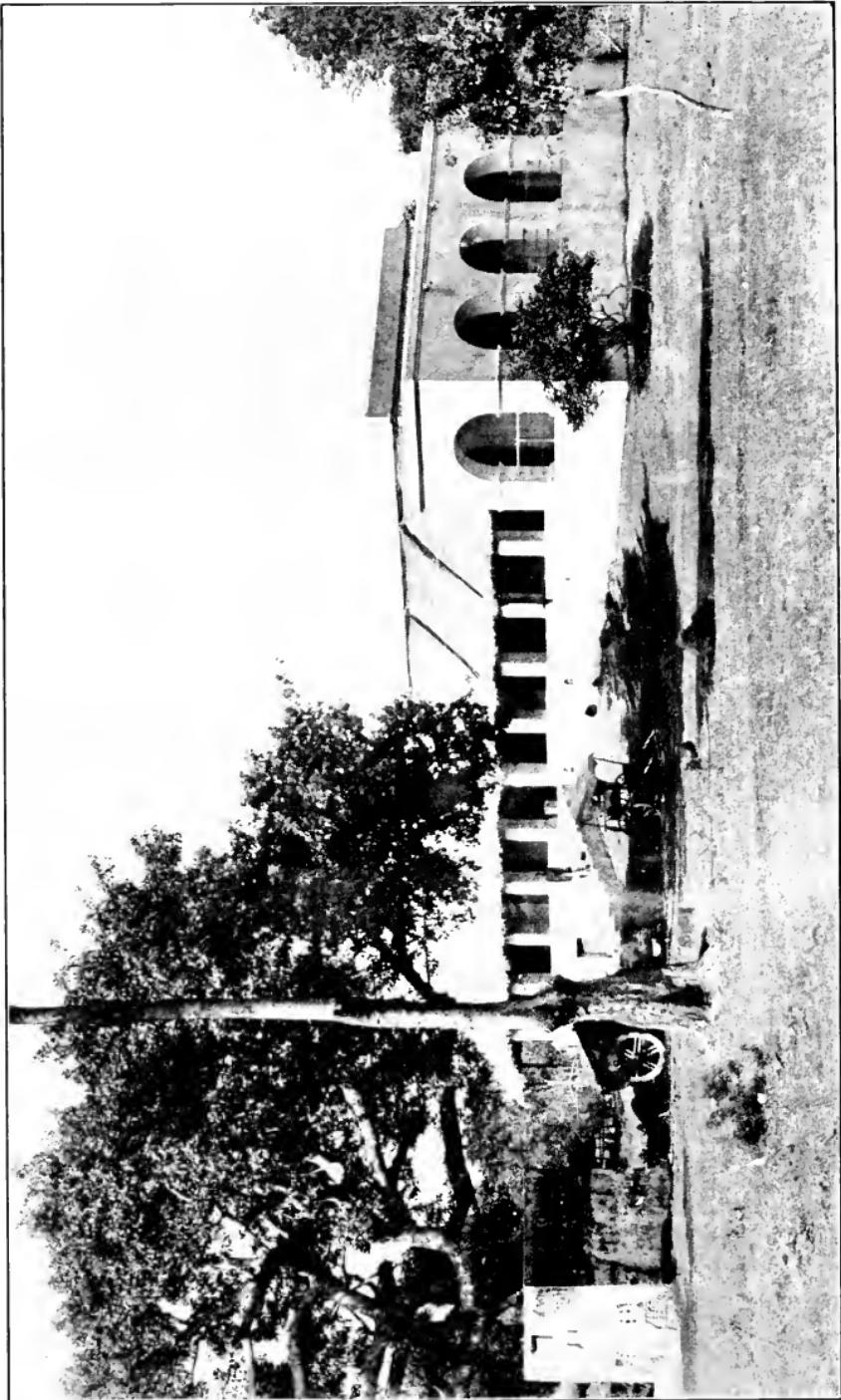
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CHILDREN OF

THOMAS W. AND JULIA (PHILLIPS)  
BURKHOLDER.

At Abilene, Kans., Sept. 28th, 1909, by REV. A. L. HOPE, C. PHILLIPS BURKHOLDER and C. VIRGINIA, daughter of AMOS CONN and SUSANNA (KLINGER) HOLLAND.





MISSION BUNGALOW, JELLA SORE, INDIA. BIRTHPLACE OF EIGHT OF DR. PHILLIPS'S CHILDREN

MARRIAGES.

At Kansas City, Kans., June 8th, 1907, by Rev. A. B. JOHNSTON, FOREST F., son of WASHINGTON Z. and CLARISSA (WOODARD) HAIGHT, and AMY C. BURKHOLDER.

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CHILDREN OF

ALBERT J. AND EMILY (PHILLIPS) MARSHALL.

At Bina, C. P., India, Dec. 15th, 1899, by Rev. B. MITCHELL, GEORGE W., son of SAMUEL and ELIZABETH (RICHARDS) COFFMAN, and BERTHA MARSHALL.

At Leaf River, Minn., Jan. 29th, 1910, by the father of the bridegroom, LAWRENCE E. MARSHALL and EMMA C., daughter of ANDREW J. and ANNA C. (ERICKSON) HEDLUND.

At Maplewood, Mo., Jan. 22d, 1908, by Rev. F. A. MAYHALL, JAY P. MARSHALL and THIRZA S., daughter of WHITMAN and MAY (SELLS) DUNBAR.

## BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

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*"Have we not all one Father? Hath not one God created us?"*

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JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, Plainfield, N. Y., Jan. 5th, 1812. Baptized by REV. WM. HUNT, Oct., 1821. Student at Hamilton Literary and Theological Seminary, N. Y. Ordained at Plainfield, N. Y., Sept. 2d, 1835. Missionary to India, 1835 to 1879.

MARY SPAULDING BEEDE, Jan. 27th, 1810. Missionary to India, 1835 to 1837.

MARY ANNE GRIMDITCH, near Cawnpore, India, Oct. 9th, 1819. Baptized by REV. JOHN MACK, at Serampore, India, Jan., 1839. Missionary in India, 1839 to 1840.

HANNAH WEBSTER CUMMINGS, Hudson, N. H., April 13th, 1818. Baptized by REV. N. THURSTON, March, 1835. Missionary to India, 1840 until her death, in 1907.

OF CHILDREN.

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*"Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord."*

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CHILD OF

JEREMIAH AND MARY (BEEDE) PHILLIPS.

FIDELIA AMY, Sumbhalpore, India, Oct. 22d, 1837.

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CHILDREN OF

JEREMIAH AND MARY (GRIMDITCH) PHILLIPS.

JAMES LIDDELL and JOHN HOWARD, Balasore, India, Jan. 17th, 1840. Baptized by PROF. JOHN FULLONTON, D. D., Whitestown, N. Y., May 1st, 1853.

JAMES LIDDELL fitted for college at Whitestown Seminary, N. Y. Graduated at Bowdoin College, Me., 1860; at Theological Seminary, New Hampton, N. H., 1862, and at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, 1864. Ordained in New York, Sept. 28th, 1862. Medical missionary to India, 1865 to 1895. From 1890 until his death in 1895, Field Secretary to the India Sunday-School Union. Styled in the public prints the "Prince of missionary orators."

JOHN HOWARD, student at Whitestown Seminary, N. Y., and at New Hampton Seminary, N. H. First Lieutenant and Regimental Quartermaster in the Union army, 1862-1866. Merchant, banker.

CHILDREN OF

JEREMIAH AND HANNAH (CUMMINGS)  
PHILLIPS.

MARY ANNE, Jellasore, India, Feb. 20th, 1842. Baptized by her father at Whitestown, N. Y., March 8th, 1857. Student at Whitestown Seminary, N. Y., Prairie City Academy, Ill., and at New Hampton Seminary, N. H.

HANNAH CARRIE, Jellasore, India, Sept. 19th, 1843. Baptized by her father at Whitestown, N. Y., March 8th, 1857. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June 18th, 1868.

JULIA EMMA, Jellasore, India, June 5th, 1845. Baptized by her father at Whitestown, N. Y., March 8th, 1857. Student at Hillsdale College, Mich. Missionary to India, 1865 to the present time.

JEREMIAH, JR., Jellasore, India, Dec. 24th, 1846. Baptized by his father at Prairie City, Ill., Jan. 20th, 1861. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June, 1871. Ordained at Willow Creek, Wis., June 2d, 1872. Minister.

HARRIET PRESTON, Jellasore, India, March 11th, 1848. Baptized by her father at Prairie City, Ill., Jan. 20th, 1861. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June 18th, 1868. Engaged in teaching until 1878. Missionary to India, 1878 to 1904.

BEEBE PAMELIA, Jellasore, India, June 4th, 1849. Baptized by her father at Prairie City, Ill., Jan. 20th, 1861.

EMILY LOUISA, Jellasore, India, Dec. 24th, 1850. Baptized by her father at Prairie City, Ill., Jan. 20th, 1861.





MRS. PHILLIPS AND HER CHILDREN ABOUT TO SAIL FOR AMERICA,  
LEAVING DR. PHILLIPS ALONE.

(From a daguerreotype taken in Calcutta, 1854.)

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June, 1870. Engaged in teaching until 1873. Missionary to India, 1873 to 1882.

NELLIE MARIA, Jellasore, India, June 15th, 1852. Baptized by her father at Prairie City, Ill., Jan. 18th, 1864. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June, 1875. Engaged in teaching and the study of medicine until 1881, graduating at that time from Adelbert Medical College, Cleveland, Ohio. Medical missionary to India, 1881 to 1903.

LUCY MARILLA, New Hampton, N. H., Sept. 6th, 1854. Baptized by REV. H. GILMAN, at Dale, N. Y., Oct. 2d, 1864. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June, 1876. Lady Principal of Parker College, Minn., 1889 to 1897.

IDA ORISSA, Whitestown, N. Y., July 24th, 1856. Baptized by her father at Jellasore, India, Aug., 1865. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June 21st, 1877. Missionary to India, 1877 to 1889.

WILLIAM CAREY, Prairie City, Ill., March 26th, 1861.

OF CHILDREN ADDED BY MARRIAGE.

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*"Thy people shall be my people, and thy God, my God."*

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MARY ROSAMOND SAYLES, Pascoag, R. I., Aug. 3d, 1837. Baptized by REV. D. HARRIMAN at Pascoag, R. I., May 1st, 1853. Graduated at New Hampton Seminary, N. H., 1861. Missionary to India, 1865 to 1905.

ANNETTE OPHELIA MARSH, Gaylordsville, Conn., July 25th, 1842. Engaged in the Christian Commission of the United States army, 1863 to 1866.

RICHARD GILBERT PLATTS, Saybrook, Conn., Nov. 4th, 1838. Baptized by REV. C. BUCK, at Waterford, Pa., in 1858. Student at Hillsdale College, Mich., graduated at Buffalo Medical College, N. Y., Feb., 1866. Physician.

JAMES ALBERTUS KEYES, De Kalb, N. Y., Jan. 12th, 1845. Baptized by his father at Paris, Mich., Nov. 25th, 1866. Farmer.

THOMAS WESLEY BURKHOLDER, St. Thomas, Pa., Sept. 19th, 1850. Baptized by DR. JAS. CALDER at Harrisburg, Pa. Graduated at Pennsylvania State College, 1874, at Crozier Theological Seminary, 1877, and ordained in 1878. Graduated from the Medical department of the University of New York, 1892. Medical missionary to India, 1878 until his death, in 1903.

ALTIE FOWLER WRIGHT, Dorset, Ohio, April 23d, 1850. Baptized by REV. GEORGE HATCH, at Kingsville, Ohio, May, 1863. Student at Hillsdale College, Mich.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

IRVING LEE STONE, East Berkshire, Vt., Oct. 6th, 1841. Baptized by REV. DANIEL BRANCH, at Prairie City, Ill., 1861. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June, 1867, and in 1870. Engaged in educational work until 1879. Manufacturer.

ALBERT JOSIAH MARSHALL, Shelby, N. Y., Nov. 3d, 1847. Baptized by REV. A. BERRY, at Monticello, Wis., April 20th, 1861. In the Union army, 1864 to 1865. Ordained at Butler, Mich., March, 1871. Student at Hillsdale College, and graduate from its Theological department, June, 1873. Missionary to India, 1873 to 1882.

FRANK LLEWELLYN DURGIN, Saco, Me., Dec. 23d, 1851. Baptized by REV. EZEKIEL TRUE, at Saco, Me., June, 1869. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June, 1876, and at Adelbert Medical College, Cleveland, Ohio, March 15th, 1882. Physician.

## OF GRANDCHILDREN.

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*"Children's children are the crown of old men."*

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### CHILDREN OF

JAMES L. AND MARY (SAYLES) PHILLIPS.

WILLIAM OWEN, Midnapore, India, April 1st, 1868.  
Baptized by his father, at Pascoag, R. I., Sept. 23d, 1877.  
Student at Oberlin College, Ohio.

BEEBE MARY SOPHIA, Midnapore, India, Sept. 16th, 1869.  
Baptized by her father, at Pascoag, R. I., Sept. 23d, 1877.  
Student at Wellesley College, Massachusetts, and at  
Oberlin College, Ohio, and graduate of Kindergarten Train-  
ing School, Philadelphia, Pa. Missionary to India, 1895 to  
1908.

NELLIE UPHAM, Midnapore, India, Dec. 14th, 1871.

JOHN OTIS, Bhimpore, India, April 26th, 1874. Bap-  
tized by his father, at Midnapore, India, 1883. Graduated  
at University of Texas, 1897. Business.

JULIA EDITH, Pascoag, R. I., Sept. 14th, 1876. Bap-  
tized by her father, at Auburn, R. I., in 1886. Engaged in  
mission work in India from 1905 till 1907.

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### FOSTER-CHILDREN OF

JOHN H. AND ANNETTE (MARSH) PHILLIPS.

THEODORA GRACE, Chicago, Ill., April 4th, 1871. Bap-  
tized by REV. MR. KLOPP, at Melbourne, Fla., May, 1892.





JAMES LIDDELL.



MARY ANNE.



HANNAH CARRIE.



JOHN HOWARD.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

Student at Cooper Academy, Dayton, Ohio, at Rochester Seminary, Wis., and at Oberlin College, Ohio.

GEORGE MARSH, Chicago, Ill., Aug. 25th, 1873. Baptized by DR. TENNY, at Oberlin, Ohio, Jan., 1890.

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CHILDREN OF

R. GILBERT AND MARY (PHILLIPS) PLATTS.

WINONA, Sac City, Iowa, Sept. 25th, 1867.

CLYDE PHILLIPS, Sac City, Iowa, Aug. 15th, 1869. Baptized by REV. D. W. C. DURGIN, at Hillsdale, Mich., June 8th, 1879. Student at Hillsdale College, Mich., and graduate from the Medical Department of the University of Michigan in 1892. Physician.

DAISY FERN, Sac City, Iowa, June 12th, 1871. Baptized by REV. D. W. C. DURGIN, at Hillsdale, Mich., May 15th, 1881. Graduated from the Hillsdale High School, June, 1888.

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CHILDREN OF

JAMES A. AND CARRIE (PHILLIPS) KEYES.

WAYLAND HURTELL, Paris, Mich., March 4th, 1871. Baptized by his grandfather, REV. J. KEYES, at Claybanks, Mich., Nov., 1879. Graduated at Oberlin College, Ohio, June 24th, 1898, and appointed to a post in North Dakota by the American Missionary Association the same year.

UNA GRACE, Claybanks, Mich., Sept. 15th, 1872. Baptized by her grandfather, REV. J. KEYES, at Claybanks, Mich.,

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

June, 1884. Graduated from Cook County Normal School, Ill., June 2d, 1892.

OLENA MAY, Claybanks, Mich., Jan. 15th, 1874. Baptized by her grandfather, Rev. J. KEYES, at Claybanks, Mich., June, 1884. Graduated from Kindergarten Training School, Oberlin, Ohio, June 7th, 1896.

BERTHA NELL, Grant, Mich., Aug. 28th, 1877. Baptized by her grandfather, Rev. J. KEYES, at Claybanks, Mich., June, 1884.

KARL LLEWELLYN, Grant, Mich., June 12th, 1880. Baptized by his uncle, Rev. H. H. KEYES, June, 1885. Graduated from State University, Moscow, Idaho, June 9th, 1908. Civil engineer.

JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, Grant, Mich., Aug. 8th, 1883.

JULIA RUTH, Grant, Mich., Sept. 9th, 1884. Baptized by her uncle, REV. J. PHILLIPS, JR., at Kipton, Ohio, May, 1894. Graduated at Weiser Academy, Idaho, June 18th, 1903. Student at State University, Moscow, Idaho.

HANNAH EDITH, Grant, Mich., Oct. 28th, 1886. Baptized by her uncle, REV. J. PHILLIPS, JR., at Kipton, Ohio, May, 1894. Graduated from State University, Moscow, Idaho, June 15th, 1910.

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CHILDREN OF

THOMAS W. AND JULIA (PHILLIPS)  
BURKHOLDER.

CALDER PHILLIPS, Midnapore, India, June 29th, 1881. Baptized by his father, at Bhimpore, India, May 3d, 1890.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

Student at Parker College, Minn., and at Bates College, Me. Business.

MARY EMILY, Midnapore, India, Sept. 15th, 1883.

AMY CRAWFORD, Bhimpore, India, Jan. 4th, 1885. Baptized by her father, at Bhimpore, India, Nov. 4th, 1894. Graduated at the School of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, March 22d, 1905.

JEREMIAH JAMES, Bhimpore, India, July 31st, 1886.

HANNAH JANE, Bhimpore, India, Jan. 1st, 1888. Baptized by her father, at Bhimpore, Nov. 4th, 1894. Graduated from Parker College, Winnebago, Minn., June, 1909. Jeweler.

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CHILDREN OF

JEREMIAH, JR., AND ALTIE (WRIGHT) PHILLIPS.

SARAH WRIGHT, Walworth, Wis., July 2d, 1876. Baptized by her father, at Pawtucket, R. I., in the winter of 1886-87. Graduated as nurse from Chicago Baptist Hospital, 1898. Nurse.

ALTIE ELIZABETH, Kingsville, Ohio, Sept. 24th, 1878. Baptized by her father, at Pawtucket, R. I., the winter of 1886-87. Student at Hillsdale College, Mich. Teacher.

JOHN HOWARD, Burg Hill, Ohio, June 29th, 1881. Baptized by his father, at Guilford, N. H., 1891.

ALICE BROWN, Sheffield, Ohio, Sept. 18th, 1883. Baptized by her father, at Centerburg, Ohio, 1895. Graduated from the High School of the same place in 1899, and from a course in Domestic Science in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1901. Instructor in piano.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

JEREMIAH, Pawtucket, R. I., July 2d, 1886.

THOMAS GUTHRIE, West Derby, Vt., Nov. 18th, 1887.  
Baptized by his father, at Centerburg, Ohio, 1895. Student  
in the College of Agriculture of the University of Ohio.

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CHILDREN OF

ALBERT J. AND EMILY (PHILLIPS) MARSHALL.

EVA LORAINNE, Balasore, India, Aug. 23d, 1874. Baptized by her father, at Evansville, Wis., Feb. 14th, 1884. Graduated from the Scientific Department of Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, June, 1900. Teacher.

BERTHA, Balasore, India, April 4th, 1876. Baptized by REV. F. E. YOUNG, at Winnebago, Minn., 1888. Student in Drake University, Iowa. Missionary to India, 1899 to 1902.

JUSTIN ALBERT, Balasore, India, June 30th, 1877. Baptized by REV. F. L. MOORE, at Plover, Iowa, June, 1891. Graduated at Drake University, Iowa, June 11th, 1903. Farmer.

LAWRENCE EUGENE, Balasore, India, April 10th, 1879. Baptized by his father, at Laurens, Iowa, 1893. Graduated from Drake University, Iowa, June 14th, 1906. Teacher.

NELLIE, Balasore, India, May 26th, 1880.

IDA, Balasore, India, Jan. 10th, 1882. Baptized by her father, at Laurens, Iowa, 1893. Graduated from Drake University, Iowa, June, 1908.

JAY PHILLIPS, Evansville, Wis., July 26th, 1884. Baptized by REV. G. W. ELLIOTT, at Pocahontas Center, Iowa,





JEREMIAH, JR.



JULIA EMMA.



HARRIET PRESTON.



BEEBE PAMELA.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

Jan., 1896. Graduated at Dental College of the University of Illinois, May 24th, 1905. Dentist.

ROBERT LIVINGSTON, Pocahontas County, Iowa, June 16th, 1891. Baptized by his father, at Olivia, Minn., Feb. 4th, 1903.

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CHILD OF

FRANK L. AND LUCY (PHILLIPS) DURGIN.

DONALD PHILLIPS, Sanford, Me., May 24th, 1884.

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FOSTER-CHILD OF THE SAME.

LAURA HOPE, Winnebago, Minn., May 31st, 1891. Baptized by REV. E. H. WILLISFORD, at Winnebago, Minn., June, 1900.

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BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

OF GRANDCHILDREN ADDED BY MARRIAGE.

GEORGE HOWELLS, Llandafal Farm, Aberbeeg, Mon., South Wales, May 11th, 1871. Baptized by REV. T. LEWIS, in River Ebbw, Cwm, Feb. 21st, 1885. Degrees won, B. A., London and Christ's College, Cambridge; B. Litt., Jesus College, Oxford; B. D., St. Andrew's University, Scotland; Ph. D., Tübingen, Germany; of Regent's Park and University Colleges, London; Mansfield College, Oxford, and the Universities of Cambridge, and Tübingen, Germany. Missionary to India, 1895 to the present time. Principal of Serampore College, India.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

SARAH EMILY HUTCHASON, Gainesville, Tex., Aug. 26th, 1886. Baptized by REV. MR. WARREN at Battle Creek, Mich., Dec., 1903. Educated at Joplin, Mo., and at Battle Creek, Mich. Graduated at the Sanitarium Training School for Nurses June 11th, 1907.

CHARLES MONTRAVILLE HORTON, Fabyans, N. H., Oct. 25th, 1870. Baptized by REV. A. L. S. BATEMAN, at Orange City, Fla., Jan., 1889. Business.

LAURA L. COLE, Woodrest, Fla., Jan. 31st, 1880. Baptized by REV. MR. WILLIAMS, at Palatka, Fla., March 12th, 1880.

CLARA HELEN KINGSLEY, Danville, Ill., April 29th, 1873. Baptized by REV. MR. LITTLE, at Danville, Ill., 1883.

FRANK ROSCOE HORTON, Twin Mountain, N. H., Sept. 23d, 1873. Baptized by REV. A. L. S. BATEMAN, at Orange City, Fla., Jan., 1889. Business.

JOHN LEWIS JONES, Llangeitho, Wales, Jan. 22d, 1865. Baptized in infancy by REV. ROBERT ROBERTS, at Llangeitho, Wales. Graduated from Oberlin College, Ohio, May, 1895. Ordained Aug. 18th, 1895, at Clearwater, Minn. Home missionary.

EDWARD JOHN KELLER, Marine, Ill., July 27th, 1872. Baptized in infancy by REV. MR. DAVIS, at Marine, Ill., Sept. 7th, 1872. Fruit farmer.

THOMAS WHITWORTH RICH, Mt. Carry, Fla., March 27th, 1882. Mechanic.

SALOMA WILLIAMS, Brownville, Nebr., Aug. 9th, 1883. Baptized in infancy. Student at Nebraska State Normal School for several years. Engaged in teaching for nine years.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

BURTON LEROY BURLEY, Clarks, Nebr., Oct. 13th, 1880. Baptized by REV. GEORGE TRACY, at Payette, Idaho, in 1893. Graduated at Weiser Academy, Idaho, in 1899. Business.

LYMAN ARTHUR HUNTING, Grundy Center, Iowa, Sept. 1st, 1873. Baptized in infancy by REV. MR. PAINTER, at Grundy Center, Iowa. Graduated at State University, Moscow, Idaho, June 9th, 1909.

CARRIE VIRGINIA HOLLAND, Cuba, Kans., Feb. 14th, 1883. Baptized by REV. E. H. WILLISFORD at Winnebago, Minn., April 1st, 1900. Graduated at Hillsdale College, Mich., June 18th, 1908.

FOREST FORD HAIGHT, Winnebago, Minn., Aug. 3d, 1882.

GEORGE WASHINGTON COFFMAN, Savannah, Mo., April 16th, 1866. Baptized at Rosendale, Mo., 1882. Graduated from Drake University, Iowa, 1896. Ordained 1895. Missionary to India, 1896 to 1902, and again 1909 to 1912.

EMMA CHRISTINE HEDLUND, Ellsworth, Wis., Jan. 25th, 1890. Baptized in infancy by REV. J. MAGNY, at Ellsworth, Wis.

THIRZA SELLS DUNBAR, Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 2d, 1889. Baptized by REV. F. A. MAYHALL, at Maplewood, Mo., March 31st, 1907. Student at Lindenwood College, St. Charles, Mo.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

OF GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN.

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*"Beloved for the fathers' sakes."*

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CHILDREN OF

GEORGE AND BEEBE (PHILLIPS) HOWELLS.

MARY GLADYS and GERALD SYDNEY, Cuttack, India, Oct. 5th, 1900. GERALD baptized at Battle Creek, Mich., Dec. 4th, 1910, by Rev. B. F. TABER.

EDITH WINNIFRED, Battle Creek, Mich., April 15th, 1909.

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CHILD OF

JOHN O. AND EMILY (HUTCHASON) PHILLIPS.

MARY EMILY, Chicago, Ill., Feb. 3d, 1910.

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CHILDREN OF

CHARLES M. AND GRACE (PHILLIPS) HORTON.

SYBIL ESTELLA, East Melbourne, Fla., March 2d, 1892. Baptized by REV. MR. WEATHERWAX, at Melbourne, Fla., April, 1902.

HOWARD MONTRAVILLE, East Melbourne, Fla., Nov. 2d, 1893. Graduated at Fort Pierce High School, May 19th, 1911.

THEODORA ANNETTE, Melbourne, Fla., Sept. 3d, 1895.

EUGENE PHILLIPS, Melbourne, Fla., Nov. 25th, 1897.

EDITH JEANNETTE, Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 19th, 1899.





NELLIE MARIA.



EMILY LOUISA.



IDA ORISSA.



WILLIE.



LUCY MARILLA.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

CHILDREN OF

CLYDE P. AND CLARA (KINGSLEY) PLATTS.

PHILLIPS KINGSLEY, Fort Pierce, Fla., Dec. 2d, 1896.  
Baptized by Rev. H. E. McCOMBS, at White City, Fla., Jan.  
11th, 1911.

NORMAN GILBERT, Fort Pierce, Fla., Jan. 22d, 1898.

GEORGE FRANCIS, Fort Pierce, Fla., Nov. 23d, 1898.

HELEN ELIZA, Fort Pierce, Fla., Feb. 9th, 1901.

DOROTHY MAY, Fort Pierce, Fla., Aug. 13th, 1903.

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CHILDREN OF

FRANK R. AND DAISY (PLATTS) HORTON.

FERN ESTELLE, Fort Pierce, Fla., Aug. 20th, 1907.

FRANK RICHARD, Fort Pierce, Fla., Aug. 17th, 1910.

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CHILDREN OF

J. LEWIS AND UNA (KEYES) JONES.

MARY GWENDOLEN, Clearwater, Minn., May 10th, 1896.  
Baptized by her father, at Ione, Ore., April, 1905.

MARGARET CARRIE, Clearwater, Minn., Sept. 2d, 1897.  
Baptized by her father, at Ione, Ore., Jan. 28th, 1906.

KATHERINE KEYES, Madison, Minn., March 20th, 1899.  
Baptized by REV. MR. REXFORD, at Weiser, Idaho, March  
3d, 1907.

KARL CLIFFORD, Huntington, Ore., Feb. 25th, 1902.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

CHILDREN OF

EDWARD J. AND OLENA (KEYES) KELLER.

JAMES ALEXANDER, Weiser, Idaho, Dec. 5th, 1906. Publicly consecrated, March 3d, 1907, by REV. REXFORD at Weiser, Idaho.

EDWARD JOHN, Portland, Ore., June 20th, 1909. Publicly consecrated March 27th, 1910, by REV. HARRY LEEDS, Portland, Ore.

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CHILDREN OF

T. WHITWORTH AND BERTHA (KEYES) RICH.

HARLAND WHITWORTH, San Diego, Cal., Feb. 15th, 1907.

BERTHA JOY, San Diego, Cal., Dec. 22d, 1908.

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CHILDREN OF

B. LEROY AND JULIA (KEYES) BURLEY.

KARL CURTIS, Weiser, Idaho, May 10th, 1907.

VIRGINIA MARGUERITE, Weiser, Idaho, Dec. 18th, 1908.

RUTH, Weiser, Idaho, March 26th, 1911.

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CHILDREN OF

FOREST F. AND AMY (BURKHOLDER) HAIGHT.

WAYLAND PHILLIPS, Wild Horse, Colo., Nov. 23d, 1909.

HELEN, Winnebago, Minn., Sept. 14th, 1911.

BIRTHS, BAPTISMS, ETC.

CHILD OF

GEORGE W. AND BERTHA (MARSHALL)  
COFFMAN.

ROBERT LEONARD, Harda, India, Oct. 16th, 1900. Baptized by his father at Rockwell City, Iowa, 1909.

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CHILD OF

LAWRENCE E. AND EMMA (HEDLUND)  
MARSHALL.

Joy Louise, Nevis, Minn., Dec. 13th, 1910.

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CHILD OF

JAY P. AND THIRZA (DUNBAR) MARSHALL.  
THIRZA EMILY, Maplewood, Mo., Jan. 18th, 1909.

## DEATHS.

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*"Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord."*

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FIDELIA AMY PHILLIPS, Sumbhalpore, India, Oct. 22d,  
1837. (p. 9)

MARY (BEEDE) PHILLIPS, Sumbhalpore, India, Nov. 8th,  
1837, aged 27 years, 10 months. (p. 8)

MARY (GRIMDITCH) PHILLIPS, Midnapore, India, Aug.  
16th, 1840, aged 20 years, 10 months. (p. 8)

BEEBE PAMELIA PHILLIPS, Prairie City, Ill., Dec. 23d,  
1862, aged 13 years, 6 months. (p. 10)

WILLIAM CAREY PHILLIPS, Prairie City, Ill., Nov. 20th,  
1863, aged 2 years, 8 months. (p. 11)

WINONA PLATTS, Sac City, Iowa, Aug. 1st, 1869, aged 1  
year, 11 months. (p. 15)

RICHARD GILBERT PLATTS, Hillsdale, Mich., Jan. 3d,  
1873, aged 34 years, 2 months. (p. 12)

NELLIE UPHAM PHILLIPS, Midnapore, India, March 31st,  
1873, aged 1 year, 3 months. (p. 14)

JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, SR., Hillsdale, Mich., Dec. 9th,  
1879, aged 67 years, 11 months. (p. 8)

NELLIE MARSHALL, Balasore, India, Jan. 18th, 1882,  
aged 1 year, 8 months. (p. 18)

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- JEREMIAH PHILLIPS KEYES, Claybanks, Mich., Aug. 8th, 1883. (p. 16)
- MARY EMILY BURKHOLDER, Bhimpore, India, Sept. 18th, 1884, aged 1 year. (p. 17)
- JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, Pawtucket, R. I., July 2d, 1886. (p. 18)
- DONALD PHILLIPS DURGIN, Cranston, R. I., Feb. 19th, 1888, aged 3 years, 9 months. (p. 19)
- JEREMIAH JAMES BURKHOLDER, Bhimpore, India, Dec. 16th, 1888, aged 2 years, 4 months. (p. 17)
- IDA ORISSA PHILLIPS, Winnebago, Minn., July 5th, 1889, aged 32 years, 11 months. (p. 11)
- JAMES LIDDELL PHILLIPS, Mussoorie, India, June 25th, 1895, aged 55 years, 5 months. (p. 9)
- CARRIE (PHILLIPS) KEYES, Oberlin, Ohio, May 20th, 1896, aged 52 years, 8 months. (p. 10)
- WAYLAND HURTELL KEYES, Fort Berthold, N. Dak., Oct. 11th, 1898, aged 27 years, 7 months. (p. 15)
- JOHN HOWARD PHILLIPS, Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 28th, 1898, aged 17 years, 4 months. (p. 17)
- EDITH JEANNETTE HORTON, Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 30th, 1899, aged 2 months. (p. 22)
- JOHN HOWARD PHILLIPS, Melbourne, Fla., June 18th, 1901, aged 61 years, 5 months. (p. 9)
- JAMES ALBERTUS KEYES, Weiser, Idaho, Nov. 12th, 1902, aged 57 years, 10 months. (p. 12)
- GEORGE MARSH PHILLIPS, Melbourne, Fla., Jan. 21st, 1903, aged 29 years, 5 months. (p. 15)

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- ANNETTE (MARSH) PHILLIPS, Melbourne, Fla., May 27th, 1903, aged 60 years, 10 months. (p. 12)
- UNA (KEYES) JONES, Ione, Ore., Sept. 23d, 1903, aged 31 years. (p. 15)
- KARL CLIFFORD JONES, Ione, Ore., Oct. 10th, 1903, aged 1 year, 8 months. (p. 23)
- THOMAS WESLEY BURKHOLDER, Balasore, India, Nov. 16th, 1903, aged 53 years, 2 months. (p. 12)
- LAURA HOPE DURGIN, Winnebago, Minn., July 22d, 1904, aged 13 years, 2 months. (p. 19)
- NELLIE MARIA PHILLIPS, Rochester, Minn., March 7th, 1906, aged 53 years, 9 months. (p. 11)
- CLYDE PHILLIPS PLATTS, St. Louis, Mo., June 26th, 1907, aged 37 years, 10 months. (p. 15)
- HANNAH (CUMMINGS) PHILLIPS, Balasore, India, Aug. 8th, 1907, aged 89 years, 4 months. (p. 8)
- MARY GLADYS HOWELLS, Serampore, India, Sept. 7th, 1907, aged 6 years, 11 months. (p. 22)
- SYBIL ESTELLE HORTON, St. Augustine, Fla., June 13th, 1909, aged 17 years, 3 months. (p. 22)
- MARY EMILY PHILLIPS, Chicago, Ill., Feb. 17th, 1910, aged 2 weeks. (p. 22)
- WILLIAM OWEN PHILLIPS, Sutton, England, June 18th, 1910, aged 42 years, 2 months. (p. 14)
- MARY (SAYLES) PHILLIPS, Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 6th, 1911, aged 73 years, 6 months. (p. 12)
- MARY (PHILLIPS) PLATTS, Winnebago, Minn., April 25th, 1911, aged 69 years, 2 months. (p. 10)



FOUR GENERATIONS: MRS. PHILLIPS, SR., DR. NELLIE, BERTHA COFFMAN  
AND CHILD, BEEBE HOWELLS (SEATED) AND TWINS.



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In these later years, since the struggle for subsistence has become less strenuous than formerly, many Americans have devoted no little time, thought, effort and money to tracing their ancestry. Not until this present year (1912) has the compiler of this record known anything of interest regarding her forebears on either side farther back than her grandparents. During this, the centennial year of her father's birth, she has had the good fortune to find (in the Public Library of New York City) a genealogical record of the Phillips family in America, published in 1885 by Albert M. Phillips, of Auburn, Mass. This, unfortunately, however, is confessedly very incomplete.

Although unable, as yet, to find conclusive proof that her own family is a "branch" or "twig" of this "tree," the frequent recurrence in the record of Christian names, both masculine and feminine, identical with many in her grandfather's and father's families, together with the statement in the Record that many descendants of George Phillips, fourth in succession from the first emigrant of the name, reside in New York State, where have lived nearly all her known relatives on the paternal side, is to her presumptive evidence that this is the case.

The WISE MAN left on record the declaration that "a good name is rather to be chosen than great riches," so, although the writer is unable to cite a single person of the name who has amassed great wealth, she congratulates all who bear the name, including herself, on the following testi-

mony, given by a writer in *Harper's*, and quoted in the genealogy above referred to:

"A Phillips crossed the water with John Winthrop, and from him descended a long line of Ministers, Judges, Governors, and Councillors, a sterling race, temperate, just and high-minded."

Rev. George Phillips, the first immigrant to America bearing the name, and the first minister of Watertown, Mass., was born about 1593 at Rainham, St. Martins, near Rougham, in the district of Gallow, County of Norfolk, England. He was graduated as B. A. from Cambridge University in 1613, and received the degree of M. A. in 1617. He gave early indications of deep piety, uncommon talents and love of learning, and, at the University, distinguished himself by his remarkable progress, especially in theological studies, for which he early manifested a partiality. He was settled for a time in the ministry in Suffolk County, but suffering from the storm of persecution which assailed the non-conformists of England, he determined to leave the mother-country and cast his lot with the Puritans. He embarked for America April 12th, 1630, in the "Arbella," with his wife and two children, as fellow-passengers with Governor Winthrop and Sir Richard Saltonstall, and arrived at Salem June 12th. Here his wife soon died and was buried by the side of Lady Arbella Johnson, both, evidently, being unable to endure the hardships and exposure incident to a tedious ocean voyage. He soon located in Watertown, and without delay was settled over the church in that place. At the Court of Assistants it was "ordered that Mr. Phillips shall have allowed him 3 hogsheads of meale, 1 hogshead of malte, 4 bushels of Indian corn, 1 bushel of oat-meale and halfe a hundred of salte fish." He continued

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as pastor of this church, greatly respected and beloved, until his death, in 1644.

"In Brechin Hall at Andover, the library of the Theological school, in the great halls of the Academies at Andover and Exeter, and in Memorial Hall at Harvard College, one may see hanging upon the walls portraits of one and another man and woman of this family, which, among the untitled nobility of New England, represents the best element of life there; not that which always dwells in the brightest glare of publicity, but that which directs and shapes the current of public opinion."

The names in this Genealogy that are probably most widely known are those of Phillip Phillips, the gospel singer, Bishop Phillips Brooks of Boston, whose mother was a Phillips, and Wendell Phillips, the "silver-tongued orator" of the anti-slavery conflict.

Of the last-mentioned it is recorded that "his first appearance as an orator was at a meeting in Faneuil Hall, in 1837 (when he was but twenty-six years of age), called to protest against the cruel murder of Elijah P. Lovejoy, at Alton, Ill., for publishing an anti-slavery paper. James I. Austin, State's Attorney-General, made an apologetic speech, condemning Lovejoy and almost justifying the mob for his murder. Then Wendell Phillips, fired with righteous indignation, mounted the platform amidst objections and efforts to suppress him, and poured forth a torrent of burning eloquence. This young lawyer, without experience and without a name in his profession, met and vanquished, routed and annihilated, the official chief of the bar of Massachusetts.

"His eloquence was not of the grand style, majestic and imposing, like that of Webster, with solemn periods and

elaborate rhetoric. It was swift, impetuous and scathing, but with the beauty of a noble simplicity, a clear, trumpet-like voice, manner and gesture full of force and grace.

"Throughout his life his habits and manners were those of a patrician, neither arrogant nor obtrusively affable, but kindly, with a dignified reserve which commanded some measure of deference from all who came into contact with him."

The following appreciation of his character and life-work is taken from the report of a Committee appointed by the Massachusetts Legislature after his death:

"He was gifted with intellectual talents and powers of eloquence which might have made him the foremost jurist and greatest lawyer of his time. But he gave up all hope of popularity or personal emolument from the practise of law and made it his exclusive life-work to plead on the public rostrum, and at every favorable opportunity, the cause of the oppressed of every nation, creed and color. Sympathy with the classes whose cause he advocated led him to give freely of his means to the poor and distressed. Especially may the colored race rejoice that it pleased God to raise up in their behalf this inspired advocate of their inalienable rights, this terrible denunciator of their wrongs, this sincere sympathizer with their sufferings, this brave, true, stalwart friend. Their rights vindicated before the world, their wrongs wiped out, their sufferings soothed, their race set free, enfranchised, educated, elevated, long will the colored race remember—how can they ever forget? —their debt of gratitude to Wendell Phillips, to whom was due as much as to any man on earth this revolution in their lot. . . . Not to the needs of his own country alone could Wendell Phillips limit his sympathy. The whole world

had no wrong which did not set his soul on fire to hate it always, to abate it if he could. . . . The terrible evils of intoxication led no man to be a stronger advocate of prohibition than Wendell Phillips. The rights and interests of the working classes found in him a devoted friend. His intense earnestness carried conviction home to his hearers. His tenderness touched their hearts with irresistible sympathy; his pathos moved them to tears; his vehemence carried them on with contagious fire; his commanding presence filled them with respect; his simplicity and directness left them in doubt whether acting were perfect or wholly absent. Gifted by nature with a voice of exquisite smoothness, sweetness, flexibility and grace, and yet of wonderful power when roused in some great cause, the whole man grew instinct with the fire and force of impassioned oratory, and he swept his audience almost at his will—yet always without apparent effort—through the varying emotions which he sought to stir. Strong faith and deep piety marked his walk through life. His fellow-citizens have always respected him for every domestic virtue, and for a grandly stoical simplicity of life. Full of the generous spirit of self-sacrifice, seeking no public honor, devoting his life and his great powers to the cause of the oppressed even to his own great loss, standing firm against any and all injustice like the rugged hills of his native State, volcanic in his outbursts of wrath against oppression, Wendell Phillips stands as the strongest type of the fearless, uncompromising, intolerant New England reformer."

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As regards reliable records of her maternal ancestors in this country the present writer has been more fortunate, and since this little book is prepared for the descendants of

her own parents rather than for the Phillips family in general, she does not hesitate to incorporate some of the material found relating to the Cummings family, her maternal forebears. This has been obtained chiefly from a Cummings Genealogy published in 1904, by Albert O. Cummings, of Vermont, to whom is due the gratitude of the entire Cummings family for his voluntary and arduous labors in behalf of his "brethren according to the flesh." In this record he states that Isaac Cummings, the first immigrant of the name to America, was "doubtless" a passenger on board a vessel that brought a colony to Salem, Mass., in 1627, seven years after the arrival of the "Mayflower," and three years before that of the "Arbella," which brought the first Phillips to the same port. In a deposition made by him in 1666 he gave his age as sixty-five, thus establishing his birth in 1601, while his death occurred in 1677. The family name is found in various records, spelled in at least sixteen different ways, but more than half of those who have borne it spelled it as did our grandparents, *Cummings*.

As to the nationality of the original Isaac, Mr. Cummings says that in all his researches, which were among the records of American Historical, Genealogical and Antiquarian Societies, Public Libraries, Civil and Probate Court records; and which involved a vast amount of correspondence and visits to numerous cemeteries where people of the name had lived and died, he failed to find any *record* connecting Isaac with the "Cumins" whose traditions are given herewith; but circumstantial evidence is strongly in favor of the claim that Isaac, although sailing from England, was a Scotchman, descended from the "Red Cumin" of Scottish history.

Mr. Cummings' book is an octavo volume of seven hun-

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dred pages and contains the names of approximately ten thousand persons of the connection, and is illustrated with numerous portraits. Undertaken after the compiler had passed his threescore and tenth mile-stone, the work cost him six years of arduous toil and thousands of dollars. Among press comments upon it *The Nation* (New York City) said, "The stock appears to be largely agricultural and mechanical, inventors having been numerous and clever," while the New York Genealogical and Biographical Record says, "It is a history of a staunch and sturdy stock, thrifty, plain people, who could, and did, shoulder a gun and fight for the country when need be, and in times of peace could aid her with shrewd advice."

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### EXTRACT FROM A LETTER

Written by the Compiler of This Record to Her Brother and Sisters with Reference to the Cummings' Genealogy.

Among the names of persons who have, at various times, married into the Cummings family, I am interested to find the following familiar ones: Bradford, Hale, Putnam, Yale, (colonial); Jackson, Monroe, Polk, Taylor, Tyler (presidential); Jacob Abbott, Bancroft (historical); Giddings, Lovejoy, Phillips (abolitionists); Choate, Webster, Dana (writers and statesmen); Bryant, Emerson, Holmes, Longfellow, Lowell, Whittier (the Cambridge coterie complete!); Boardman, Doremus, Dunn, John Hall, Norman McLeod, Storrs (clerics and missionaries); Lucy Stone, George Elliot (celebrated women). How many of these people bore any relationship to the celebrities of the same names, of course I do not know.

I wonder if any of you remember the name of Hannah Dustin mentioned in Peter Parley's History of the United States? In the family of grandfather's sister Mary I find the names Hannah and Dustin, and of course I can but wonder whether the plucky woman who escaped from her Indian captors was in any way related to our ancestors.

This book gives, now and again, bits of interesting biography of different ones who married into the Cummings family. The mother of one of these was one of the nineteen victims who were hung as witches at Salem. The record says, "She was the mother of nine children, a woman of sound judgment and exalted Christian character. In intelligence she was far in advance of her age," as was shown by a long petition which she addressed, while in jail, to Sir Wm. Phipps, in behalf, not of herself, but of her fellow innocent sufferers. Her name was Mary Towne Estey, and she was called "The Self-Forgetful."

One Cummings married a great-great-granddaughter of John Alden and Priscilla. This Cummings (Abraham), was an open-communion Baptist preacher, a Free Baptist, of course, like ourselves! In Revolutionary times one Prudence Cummings and several of her neighbor women dressed themselves in their husbands' clothes, armed themselves with muskets, pitch-forks, and such other weapons as they could find, and having elected Mrs. Wright (Prudence Cummings) as their commander, resolutely determined that no foe to freedom should pass over their bridge —Jewett's bridge over the Nashua River. Soon there appeared Mr. Leonard Whiting, supposed to be treasonably engaged in carrying intelligence to the enemy. By direction of Mrs. Wright, in her assumed character, he was seized, compelled to dismount and detained as a prisoner. Des-

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patches were found in his boots and sent to the Committee of Safety. At the place where the incident occurred a stone now stands, bearing an inscription detailing the circumstances of the capture, and naming Mrs. Wright as captor. Aunt Sarah writes me that grandmother's grandfather Heath was a Revolutionary soldier, serving under Washington's command.

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THE DIRECT LINE FROM ISAAC TO  
OURSELVES RUNS THUS:

1. ISAAC, born 1601, died 1677.
2. JOHN (eldest son of the foregoing), born 1630, died 1700; married SARAH HOWLETT, born —, died 1700.
3. NATHANIEL (third son of foregoing), b. 1659, d. —; m. ABIGAIL PARKHURST.
4. ELEAZER (third son of foregoing), b. 1701, d. 1780; m. PHOEBE RICHARDSON, b. 1728, d. 1788; settled in what is now Hudson, N. H. Farm on east bank of Merrimac River, directly opposite site of the present city of Nashua, now (1903) occupied by Hon. Kimball Webster.
5. ELEAZER (eldest son of foregoing), b. 1765, d. 1843; m. SARAH HALE, b. 1767, d. 1852. Succeeded to his father's farm, was school teacher and singing-master; acquired considerable knowledge of astronomy and other sciences, and was possessed of great mechanical ingenuity, which was also strongly marked in—
6. THOMAS (eldest son of foregoing), b. 1788, d. 1861; m. HANNAH WEBSTER, b. —, d. 1856.

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7. HANNAH (second daughter of foregoing), b. 1818, d. 1907; m. JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, b. 1812, d. 1879.

This makes us, children of Hannah, of the eighth generation in this country.

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CUMMINGS TRADITIONS GATHERED  
BY MR. CUMMINGS FROM VARIOUS SOURCES.

The Cummings family is a very old one. As far back as can be traced they lived in Lombardy, in northern Italy, before, and during, the 4th Century. Later they crossed the Alps, made various settlements in France, and according to history, were a strong family during the great *Hearth War*, which lasted many years, Earl de Cummings being, perhaps, the chief factor in precipitating and continuing the war.

History also testifies that one branch of the family followed William of Normandy to the conquest of England in 1066. In 1069 Robert of Comines (or Comyn), with seven hundred horse from the Conqueror, seized Durham and held it forty-eight hours, but the people rose against him and he perished in the flames at the burning of the Bishop's palace. His nephew became Chancellor of Scotland in 1133. The Chancellor's nephew, Richard, inherited the English possessions of the family, and married the Countess of Athol, daughter of Donald Bane, King of Scots, and his son William, in 1210, became Earl of Buchan by marrying the Celtic heiress of the north earldom. By this marriage he became father of Alexander, Earl of Buchan, who married the daughter of Roger de Quenci, Earl of

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Winchester. By other marriages the family obtained the earldoms of Angus and Athol, so that by the middle of the 13th Century there were in Scotland one Lord, four Earls and thirty-two belted knights of the name of Comyns.

Within seventy years, however, this great house was overthrown. Few were left of them save those who took refuge in the "Monks of Deer," a monastery, founded in 1219 by William Comyns, Earl of Buchan, mentioned above, while some, with their families, found refuge in England, where, although they were so poor as to be dependent upon the English Court, they married into the best families, so that their blood flowed through the veins of nobles and of some of the princely descendants of Henry IV. of England.

Following a different trail, the Chronicle of Melrose states that the first of the name who figured prominently was slain with Malcolm III. of Scotland at Alnwick in 1093, leaving two sons, John and William. From John all the Cummins of Scotland are said to have descended. Sir John, the "Red Cumin" (or Comyn), was the first Lord of Badenoch, and in 1240 was sent by his king, Alexander II., as an ambassador to Louis IX. of France. His son John, called the "Black Lord of Badenoch," in wealth and power was inferior to no subject in Scotland, and was one of those who vowed to support Queen Margaret, daughter of Alexander III., in her title to the crown. At her death he became, as son and heir of John, who was son and heir of Donald Bane, King of Scots, a competitor for the crown of Scotland. A son of this Lord, called, in turn, the "Red Cumin," was the last Lord of Badenoch of the surname of Cumin.

In the year 1445 one branch of the family, which had remained in northern France, gave birth to the historian

Phillipe de Comines, whom Hallam called “The Father of Ancient History.”

In 1552 there was published in Paris a French work on a man of this name, at the end of which were many Comines Genealogical trees. Also about 150 years ago a Commines Genealogy was published in England, but both books being out of print, all efforts to secure a copy of either have failed.

But—these traditions, possessing, it is true, a certain antiquarian interest, and suggesting, as they do, the glamour of wealth and power, of fair ladies and gay cavaliers, of royalty and courts, of pomp and pageantry, cannot—*could* not, even though they were authentic history—confer upon *any* one the title to *true* nobility, which, nevertheless, each one may win for himself by a life of devotion to duty, even as our own honored parents have done.





MRS. H. C. PHILLIPS.



JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, D. D.

## REV. JEREMIAH PHILLIPS, D. D.

A Sketch Presented at a Memorial Service of The Medical Missionary Conference,  
Convened at the Sanitarium, Battle Creek, Mich., on Jan. 5th, 1912,  
the 100th Anniversary of the Birth of Dr. Phillips.

Born in New York State, Jan. 5th, 1812. Went to India in 1835, aged twenty-three. Together with his colleague, Rev. Eli Noyes, founded the Free Baptist Mission in Orissa, India. Began work among the Santals, an aboriginal tribe, reduced their language to writing, also prepared a dictionary and grammar, and translated the gospels and other portions of the Bible.

Was the father of fourteen children, eleven of whom lived to mature age, six of whom and three granddaughters became workers in the same field, while the five remaining in America were nearly, or quite, all active workers for missions. Aggregate time of service for India of Dr. Phillips, members of his family and of those who became so by marriage, more than 375 years.

On his retirement from the field, with health completely shattered by privations and strenuous labors during one of India's terrible famines, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal addressed to him a letter in which he said he could not allow him to retire without expressing his high appreciation of the valuable service he had rendered to India.

Dr. Phillips died in Hillsdale, Mich., just before the close of his sixty-eighth year. His wife went to India at twenty-two years of age and died there in her ninetieth year, having had but two furloughs during the intervening sixty-seven years. This is believed to be a "record" on the India field. His eldest son, Dr. J. L. Phillips, spent twenty-five years

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in the same field and was then called to the post of Field Secretary of the India Sunday-School Union, in whose service he remained until he fell at his post, in 1895, at the comparatively early age of fifty-five.

At the present moment no living member of the family is on the field. Eleven lie buried there, while the bodies of Dr. Phillips himself, and those of two missionary daughters and one daughter-in-law, rest in Oak Grove Cemetery, at Hillsdale. One daughter, however, Mrs. Julia P. Burkholder (widow of Dr. T. W. Burkholder), who has already given forty-four years of service, sailed from New York last Friday (Dec. 29, 1911) to begin her fifth term in the field, summoned thereto by a cablegram from the missionaries, because the force had been greatly depleted.

Dr. J. L. Phillips, Dr. Nellie M. Phillips and Dr. T. W. Burkholder were medical missionaries.

A fine brick church now stands in Khargpur, India, a memorial to Dr. Phillips, erected in 1906-07 by Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Stone, of Battle Creek, the latter a daughter of Dr. Phillips, and for twenty-six years a member of the mission.



PHILLIPS MEMORIAL CHURCH, KHARGPUR, INDIA.



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